

WHAT YOU CAN DO

Support Recycling!

Segregate your waste in:

- Glass
- Paper
- Yellow Bag
- Hazardous Waste



Conserve Water and Electricity !

Switch light off when not required



Reduce Air Emissions !

Switch your engine off when you are not driving



Avoid Spills!

Be aware of potential impacts your work may have on the environment

Your help is needed to improve our environmental stewardship.



The 222nd Base Support Battalion (BSB) is committed to the protection of you and our environment.

For more Information on the 222d BSB's Environmental Management System (EMS), Call:

Directorate of Public Works EMO
Tel: 06783/66146
DSN: 485-6146

The EMS Manual, Procedures and Training can be found on the webpage
<http://www.baumholder.army.mil/media/EMS>

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Environmental Management System (EMS)



You are part of the Environment!

You can help to protect it!



What is an Environmental Management System (EMS)?

An Environmental Management System (EMS) is a system to prevent damages to the environment and to save natural resources for future generations. The system provides a framework for continual environmental improvement.



The goal of EMS is continual improvement to the BSB's environmental performance. To attain and maintain this all BSB units, tenant organizations, personnel working for the BSB, family members and contractors, need to support the EMS.

Environmental Policy

The environmental policy commits the 222d BSB to:

- comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations;
- ensure that all base activities comply with environmental regulations and other requirements;
- integrate environmental requirements into mission procedures and work practices...so that environmental awareness and compliance are a routine part of performing activities and services;
- periodically report progress to its headquarters;
- allocate the resources and training required to protect the environment; and
- communicate and reinforce the environmental policy throughout the BSB.

What are the Benefits of having an EMS?

As you are part of the environment, an environmental management system offers several advantages to you, by:

Reducing Costs, such as for electricity and water usage.

By these savings the BSB has more money available to spend for public utilities, such as sport facilities, playgrounds etc.

Risk identification and prevention outside of regulatory requirements.

The identification and prevention of risks contributes to a secure daily life for you at home and at work.

Improving Environmental Awareness

An improved environmental awareness helps to keep our environment clean and to conserve natural resources, such as water and crude oil. It is a critical component of allowing you and following generations to continue to live life as you know it.